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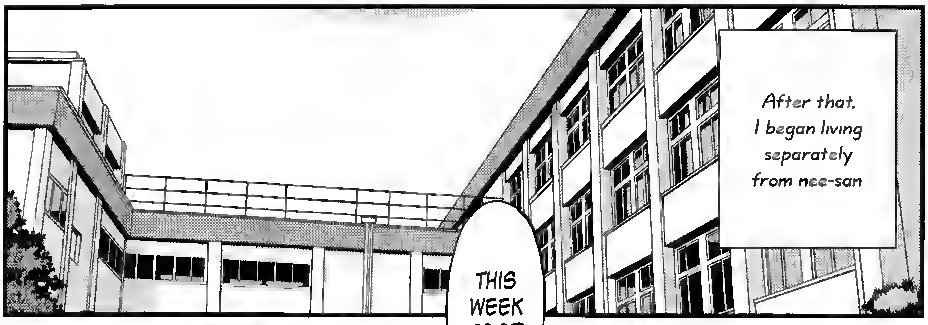
The story...

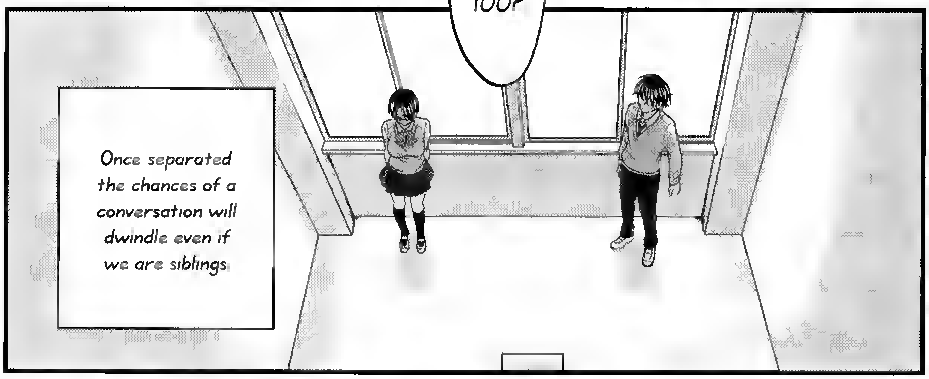
Sakuta sees his sister heading towards the hospital on his way home from school. Not only that, at the end of his chase, inside the hospital he meets the attending doctor Shiina, and hears the surprising truth. A musical story filled with beautiful adolescent love riding on the waves of J-pop!!!

32☆TUNE
[Heavy Rotation]

Sakuta! Help over here!!
Okay!
AH! YES OKI-SAN WAS WATCHING OVER ME THOUGH...
OH, THIS IS PRETTY GOOD SAKUTA, DID YOU FIX THIS UP?
YOU SURE CAN DO IT~♥
AFTER THAT, THE FAMILY NETA'S HAVE DECREASED TOO.
HE'S DOING WELL EVEN ALONE, ISN'T HE? OTOTOU-KUN
Making good judgments lately

WAS IT NOT BETTER TO HAVE BEEN SEPARATED?
NEE...
One, two...
Check, check
...EVE-SAN, PLEASE CHECK!


After that, I began living separately from nee-san


THIS WEEK TOO?
Once separated the chances of a conversation will dwindle even if we are siblings.

Instead of the busy nee-san the times I went to the hospital to take care of Mom increased
There's not enough time.

SORRY! I WAS BUSY DURING THE INCEST KANTOU TOUR...

THERE'S NO HELP-ING IT.
SORRY.
.....NN.

ARE YOU LONELY IF YOUR SISTER ISN'T AROUND?
NOT REALLY
WE KIND OF SEE EACH OTHER DURING THE LIVE CONCERT...
NOT BEING ABLE TO GO ON A DATE WITH AYANO-CHAN IS MORE LONELY

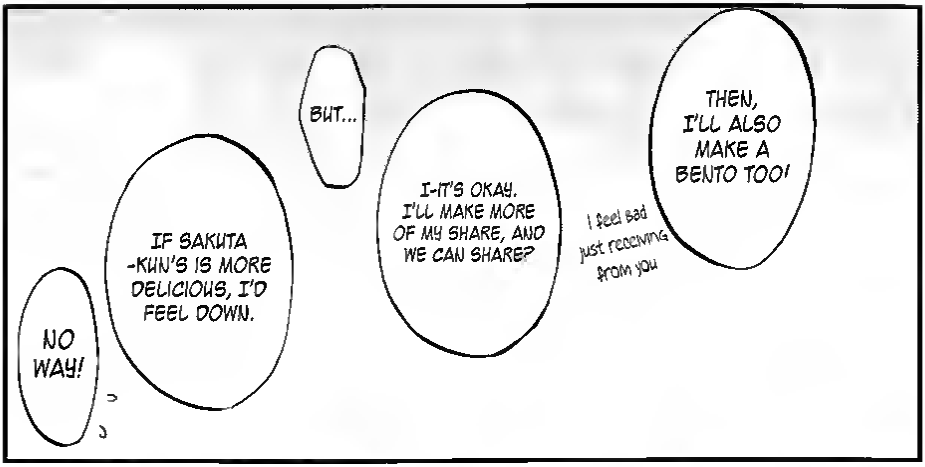
I WANNA DO IT
CRAP, HURRY!
Wait~
.....
I HAVE AN IDEA!!
DATE!
I MEANT A DATE!

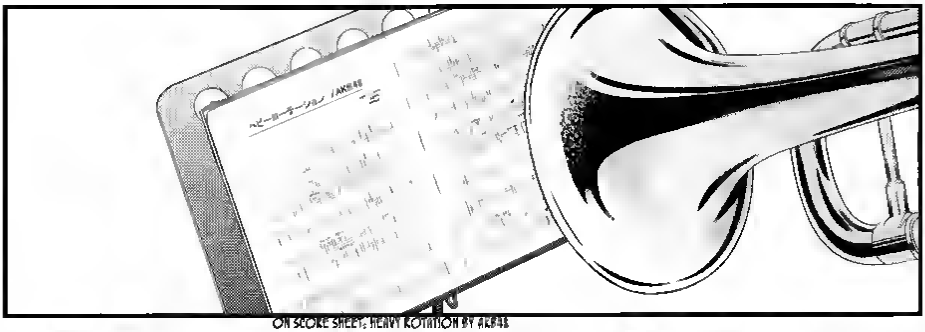
Audiovisual Room
SINCE SAKUTA-KUN IS BUSY AFTER SCHOOL...
4th period
Integrated Sciences B
LIKE THIS, THE DESERT CONTINUES TO EXPAND
VERY YEAR, HE EXTINCT NIMAL AND PLANTS
It's lacking the mood
A movie date_?
HOW... ABOUT NOW?

DATE.
MM!
OHH LUNCH DATES ARE THE BEST!
THAT'S THE ONE MY MOM MADE...
I only cut the vegetables
SUPER DUPER DELICIOUS!
As expected of Ayano-chan!

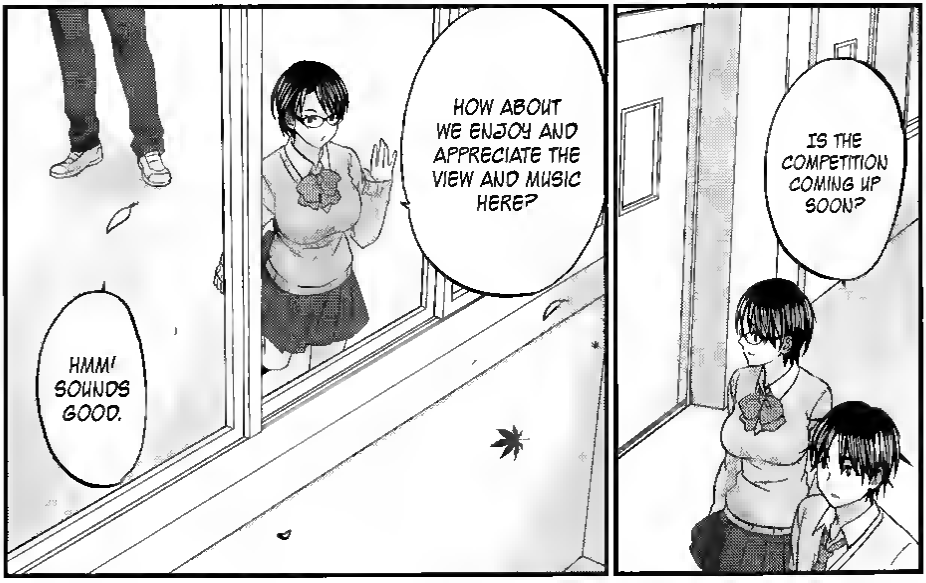
L-LET'S EACH LUNCH TOGETHER FROM NOW ON!
IT'S A LITTLE EMBARRASSING GETTING MADE FUN OF BY EVERYONE...
Heh-? No more trading yakisoba bread anymore huh-?
Ho-? Lunch with the girlfriend?
DAMN IT!
Gotou! Give Ayano (s bento) back!

THEN,
I'LL MAKE AN OMELET TOMORROW.


THEN, I'LL ALSO MAKE A BENTO TOO!
I feel bad just receiving from you
I-IT'S OKAY. I'LL MAKE MORE OF MY SHARE, AND WE CAN SHARE?
BUT...
IF SAKUTA -KUN'S IS MORE DELICIOUS, I'D FEEL DOWN.
NO WAY!



ON SCORE SHEET: HENRY ROTHMON BY AKIRA

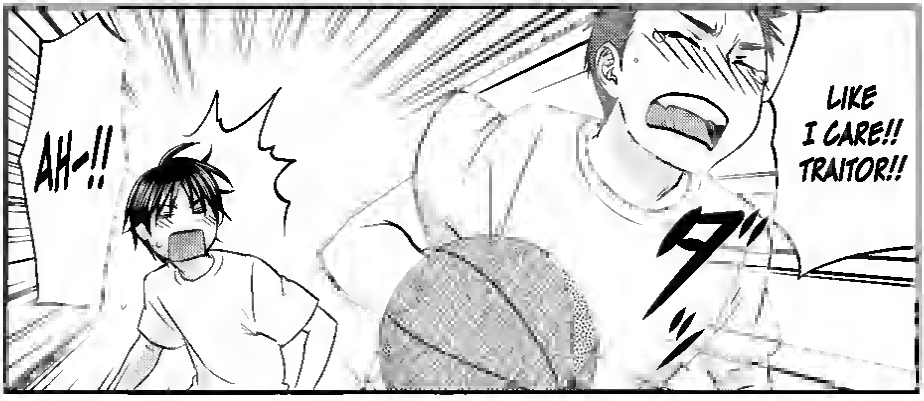


How many times will people love in the span of a lifetime?
Just once, to have one unforgettable
be fulfilling.

Feeling that palpitation
will the flowers bloom?

WHAT INSIDE-SCHOOL DATE, WHO'S GONNA HELP WITH THAT!?
I WANT TO SHOW OFF MY GOOD SIDE DURING P.E.
5th period: P.E.

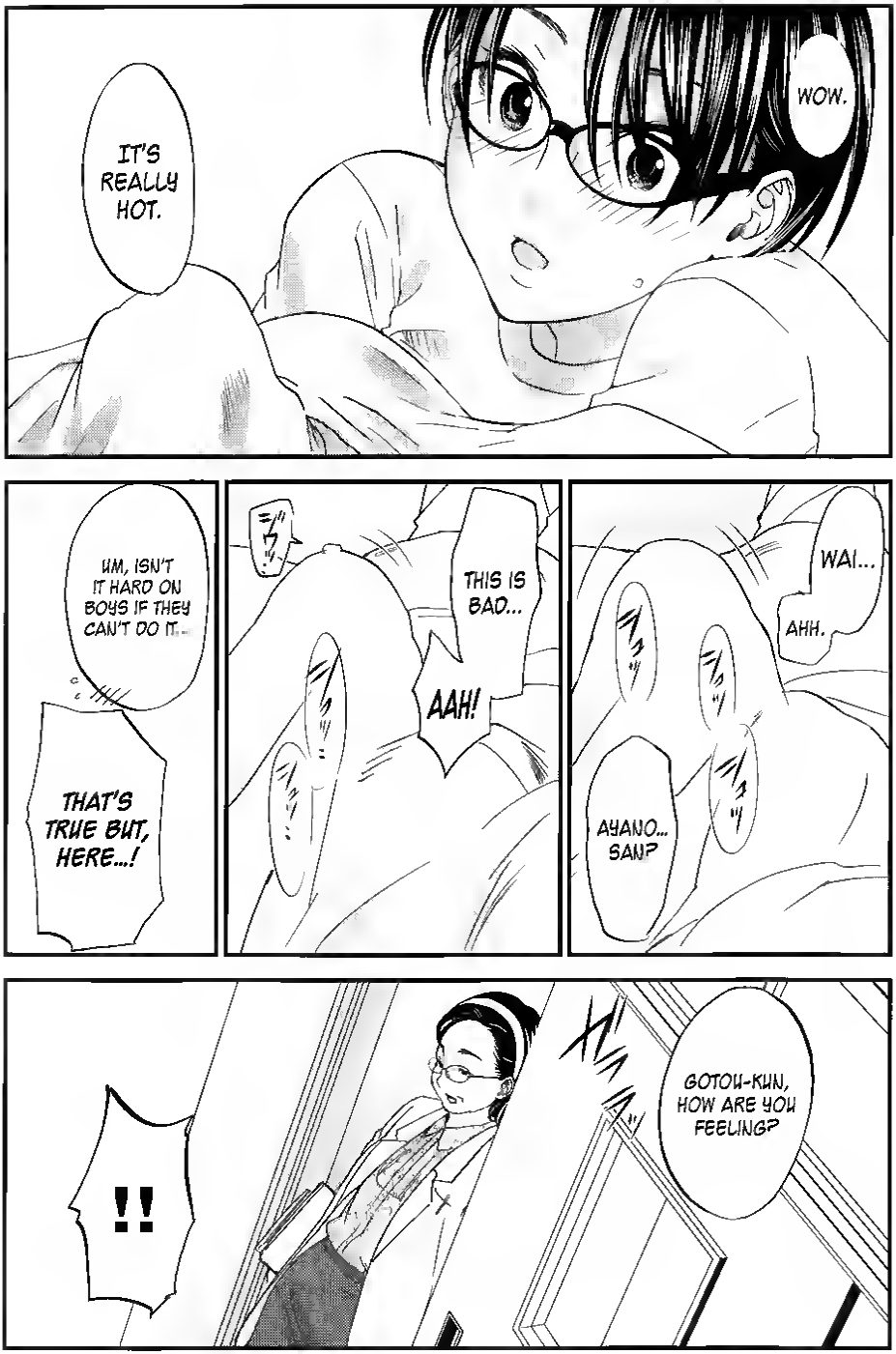
LIKE, SKILLFULLY PASSING, RECEIVING, AND
SHOOTING IN FRONT OF THE GIRLS!
Girls are doing volleyball


AH-!!
LIKE I CARE!! TRAITOR!!

If it's come to this even if I can't shoot
I'll try to at least not let Ayano-chan see an unappealing side
...Huh?
O-DUDE! IF YOU TELL SOMEONE TO PASS, THEN CATCH IT PROPERLY!!!
KYAA
KYAA
AHAHA
IT HIT HIS FACE!!
You'll fall!

WHAT A RELIEF
IF I REST A BIT I SHOULD BE ABLE TO GO BACK TO HOMEROOM
YEAH, IT JUST SCRAPED MY NOSE A LITTLE,
BE-CAUSE
EEH!? YOU'RE SURPRISINGLY BOLD
I SAID I WAS WORRIED, SO I JUST CAME ALONG
AYANO-CHAN, WHAT ABOUT CLASS?
I'M YOUR GIRLFRIEND
AFTER ALL

IF YOU SAY SOMETHING SO CUTE,
LATELY.. I HAVEN'T DONE IT, UM..
UH~...M
OF COURSE, THIS SORT OF SITUATION...
NII!?


WOW.
IT'S REALLY HOT.
UM, ISN'T IT HARD ON BOYS IF THEY CAN'T DO IT...
THAT'S TRUE BUT, HERE...!
THIS IS BAD...
AAH!
WAI...
AHH.
AYANO... SAN?
!!
GOTOU-KUN, HOW ARE YOU FEELING?

WELL, I'LL BE HERE SO, IF THERE'S SOMETHING YOU NEED, TELL ME.
EH.
YES?
N-NO-THING
YES.
AH... I THINK I'LL BE ABLE TO MAKE IT TO HOMEROOM
YOU HIT YOUR HEAD, SO DON'T OVERDO IT.
YES...
!!

A moment ago she was smiling with the falling leaves around her but
now she's under the sheets
holding my thing in her mouth...
HAA...
...THIS IS IMPOSSIBLE!! I CAN'T HOLD IT IN...!!

I feel you!
I touch you! I hold you! Inside my dreams.
My imagination is getting bigger gradually.

I feel you! I touch you!
I hold you! These thoughts,
I want to convey them strongly.
Heavy rotation.

UU
A DATE AT SCHOOL IS DANGEROUS...
YOU'RE GOING TO THE MEETING?
YEAH
I THINK IT'LL SETTLE DOWN NEXT WEEK
YEAH.
SAY HI TO YOUR SISTER FOR ME!
I...

How do I put this... I was truly
Having a cute, kind, and a bit(?) perverted girlfriend
it would've been unimaginable a while before
am happy
AYANO~ THE SHOWER IS READY.
OKA~Y.
INCEST
INCEST
Upcoming country-wide fame tour. The new "INCEST"
happy.

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33☆TUNE [Missing]

YOUR BODY IS JUST SO IRRESISTIBLE...
HAA
YOU'RE THE BEST...
HAA
HAA

Y...YEAH! THAT'S IT! IT'S TIGHTENING!
UU...!!

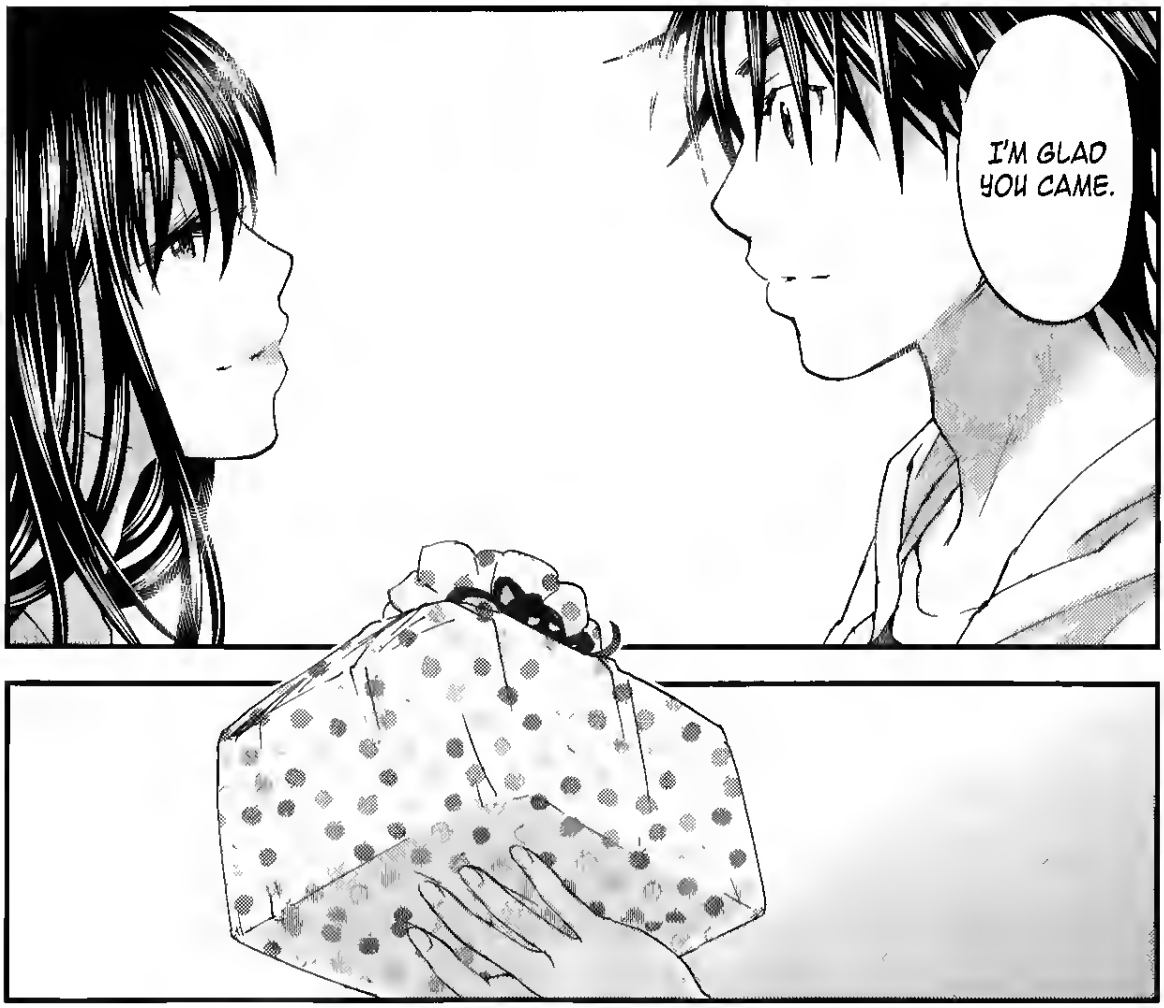
WHY IS IT THAT THE MORE MONEY I HAVE THE MORE PERVERTED I BECOME.
I'm torn up here too
IT'S LEFT A MARK ON MY NECK AGAIN.
AH...
...HUH? LEAVING ALREADY?
...JEEZ, I WANNA WEAR CLOTHES SHOWING CLEAVAGE SOMETIMES TOO!
THEN, I'LL LEAVE THAT MATTER ALL IN YOUR HANDS.
AFTER SOMETHING THAT INTENSE, I'M GOING TO BE COMPLETELY LATE FOR MY NEXT JOB.
HAHAHA, SORRY.

KYAA~♥ IT'S SO SPACIOUS!!
THIS WAS THE ONLY AVAILABLE ONE THAT THE COMPANY RENTED...
IT'S MORE THAN ENOUGH FOR ONE~
WELL, IF IT'S THIS SPACIOUS, IT'LL BE ENOUGH FOR A LATE MOVING PARTY.
YA~N♥ THERE'S EVEN A WALK-IN CLOSET!
HOW ABOUT I GIVE YOU A COMPLETE SET PRESENT?
THERE'S NOTHING HERE REALLY!
THERE WASN'T MUCH BAGGAGE TO BEGIN WITH
IT'S FINE.
Cassina? Tula? de Sede?
RIGHT? SAKUTA!

...COME IN...

IS... IT OKAY? THIS MANY PEOPLE...
VERY WELCOME! SPACE IS ALL THERE IS!
What's with all this space!?

SORRY FOR INTRUDING!!
AN EATING AND SINGING PARTY!!
S-sorry to come uninvited...


I'M GLAD YOU CAME.

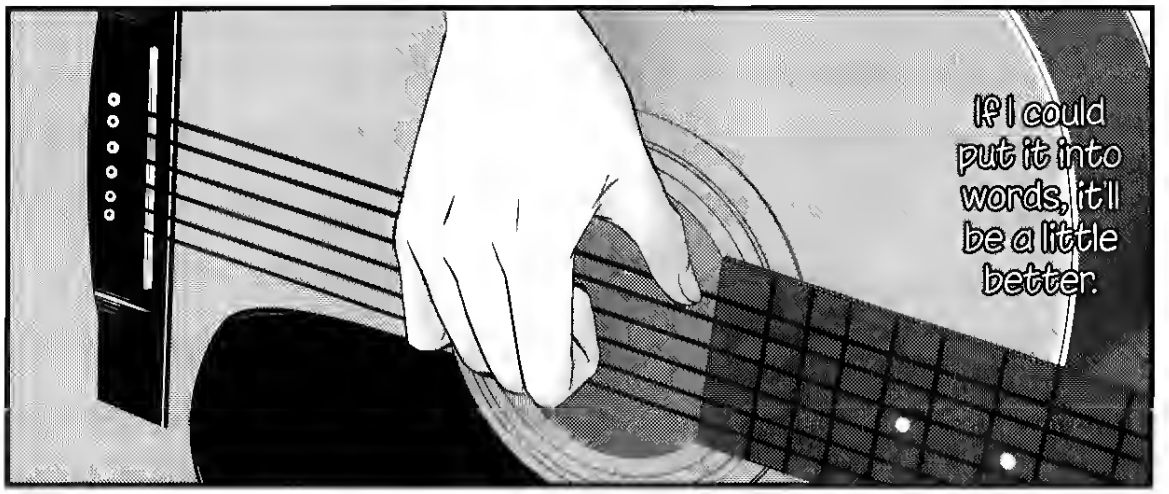
HERE.
WAH! LOOKS REALLY TASTY.
WHAT-?? WHAT LOOKS TASTY!?
I MADE THIS IN A RUSH, SO I'M NOT SURE IF IT'LL SUIT YOUR TASTES...
I MADE A SPECIALLY LARGE ONE FOR AMI-CHAN.
WOOHOO, AYANO-CHAN KNOWS IT ALL!!
I LOVE YOU!!
WHAT A GOOD GIRLFRIEND!
W-WELL, YEAH!
Why you~

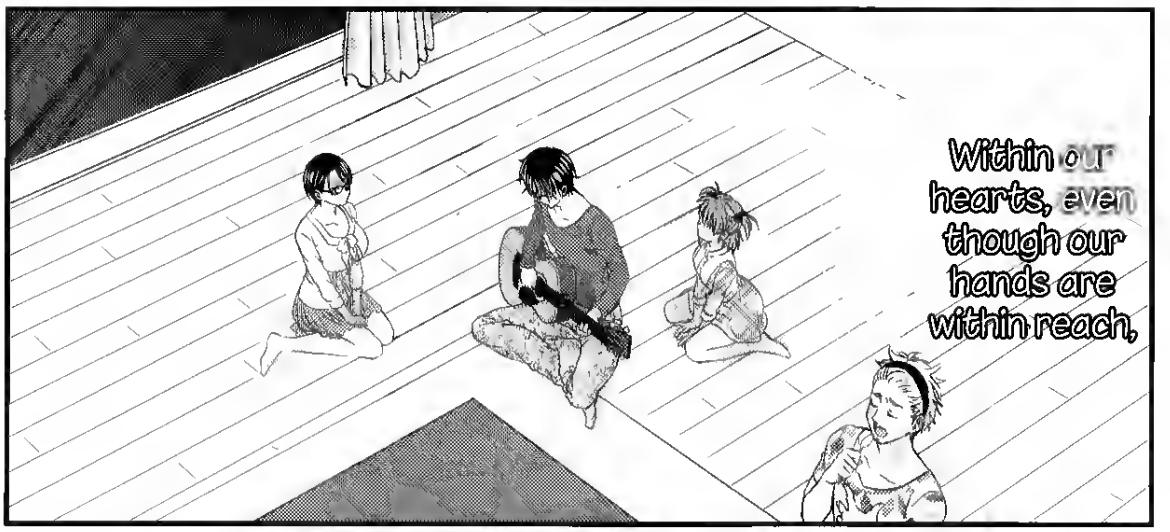
THE WHOLE BASIC MENU! DELICIOUS DISHES FILLED WITH OLIVE OIL FOR YOUR SATISFACTION~♥
IN COMMEMORATION OF EVE'S RELOCATION~☆ AYU'S KITCHEN OPENS~!!
I'm the assistant!
SIMPLY PUT SALT LIKE THIS, AND FINISH UP.
KYA~♥
A5 RANK'S MATSUZAKA BEEF, MEDIUM RARE.
KYA~♥
I'LL HAVE THE "ITALIAN YAKISOBA."
THEN AMI WILL HAVE "MATSUZAKA BEEF STEAK, NIAGRA STYLE!!"
MEAT! MEAT!
Different from Napolitan
KYAAA!! MATSUSAKASAN!!
LIKE NAIGRA'S~♥ WATERFALL~♥ USING OLIVE OIL~♥
Use two bottles at once!

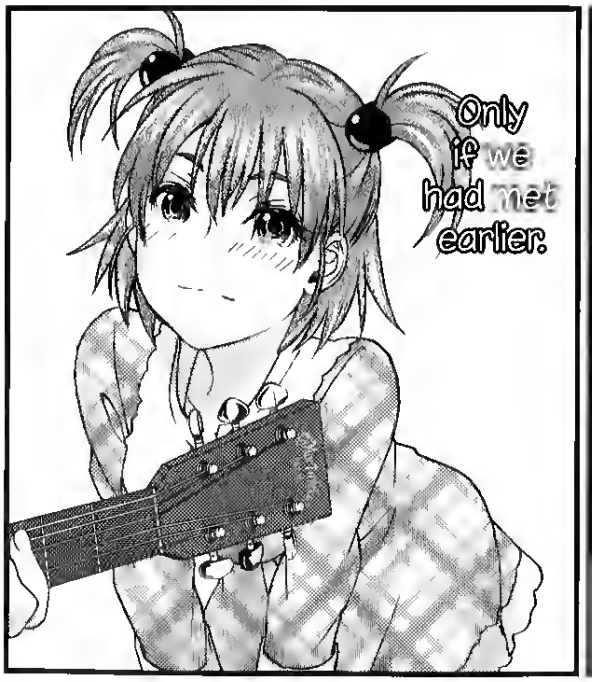
AYANO-CHAN!! THIS IS REALLY DELICIOUS!!
GYAAA
THE YAKISOBA IS FLOATING ON TOP OF THE OIL!!
ARE YOU-AN OIL IDIOT!?
DUMP IT IN OLIVE OIL!!
LIKE THIS, THE FINISHED YAKISOBA OVER HERE...
YUMWY!! YUMWY~ AYANO-HYAN.
The taste is getting better~
You're still eating so much after a steak
REALLY?
LET ME WASH AWAY THE TASTE...
NO~♥ SAKUTA'S IS OVER HERE~♥
MAYBE I'LL HAVE SOME OF AMI'S CAKE TOO.
So full of oil~
I'M GLAD.

REMINDS ME OF MY EX-BF~
YA~N♥ NOSTALGIC!!
ISN'T THIS KUBOTA TOSHINOBU'S "MISSING"?
UM, I KNOW A LITTLE.
SAKU-CHAN REALLY KNOWS VARIOUS SONGS~
Kya~ Play it, it play it~
SAY... MY STOMACH IS FULL OF OIL...
I DON'T EVEN KNOW...
There's an acoustic guitar too~
YUKINARI PLAY THE GUITAR, AND I'LL SING!
THAT'S BECAUSE LISTENING TO MUSIC IS MY ONLY HOBBY.

TERAUCHI-SAN COMPLIMENTED ON HOW HIS LISTENING AND FEEL IS GOOD.
AFTER THIS TOUR, HE'S CONSIDERABLY MORE USED TO THE ROUTINE...
HIS ACT IS LOOKING BETTER TOO.
AS EXPECTED OF
EVE'S BROTHER...?

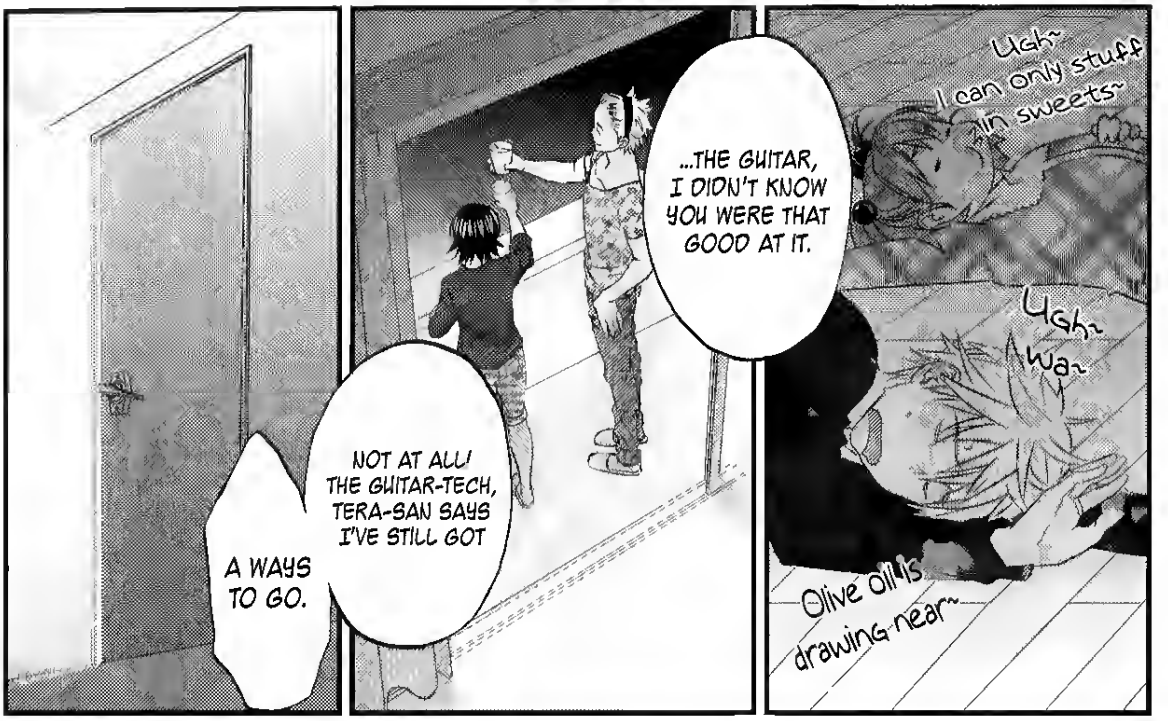

If I could put it into words, it'll be a little better.


Within our hearts, even though our hands are within reach,


Only if we had met earlier.

Your trembling eyes speak to me.

I miss you. If it can be allowed,
I love you. If it cannot be fulfilled,
I'd rather forget, yet I cannot forget any of it.
In the light of the afternoon
I want to embrace you
And in the starry night, baby.


A WAYS TO GO.
NOT AT ALL! THE GUITAR-TECH, TERA-SAN SAYS I'VE STILL GOT
...THE GUITAR, I DIDN'T KNOW YOU WERE THAT GOOD AT IT.
Ugh~ I can only stuff in sweets~
Ugh~ Wa~
Olive oil is drawing near~

NN...

AYA...NO-CHAN! IT'S RISKY, AT THIS KIND OF PLACE...
NO...!
THE WHOLE DAY I DIDN'T GET TO BE WITH SAKUTA-KUN ALONE.
I'VE BEEN FEELING REALLY LONELY...
B-BUT STILL, AT MY SISTER'S HOUSE...

A-AYU-SAN, AND AMI-CHAN BOTH HUGGED SAKUTA-KUN A BUNCH...

U~ SO CUTE! SO YOU WERE JEALOUS THE WHOLE TIME?
NO!

WAIT...
THAT'S...
...!
NN...
NNN...

Such melancholic love,
must be the first.
Love that makes the heart palpitate happens many times.
Enveloped by the changing sky,
I dreamt of forever's pledge.

I love you.
If it cannot
be conveyed,
without even
a gaze,
My eyes are
seized, and I
transfixed.

I miss you.
If it can be
allowed,
I want to
embrace you.

And in the starry sky,
In the light of the afternoon,
Baby

VUVUVU!!!
(TOILET!!!)
W-WHAT'S WRONG!?
AMI?
VUVUVU
(NO)
AMI-CHAN, OVER HERE!
W-WAIT!! IF YOU'RE GOING TO PUKE, GET TO THE TOILET. WAIT!!!
VUVUVUVUVU
(I FEEL SICK)

AMI ATE TOO MUCH, AND AYANO-CHAN IS TAKING CARE OF HER AT THE MOMENT.
WHAT'S THE MATTER?
ARE YOU OKAY? TAKE YOUR TIME, ALRIGHT?
VU:N...
NO WAY, I THOUGHT SHE
WOULD BE FINE EATING ANYTHING.

SORRY, THIS IS YOUR NEW PLACE AND ALL...
I DON'T MIND AT ALL.
WELL, PARTIES COME WITH A PRICE!
...ARE YOU OKAY?
YEAH! TODAY WAS REALLY FUN,
EVERYONE, AND SAKUTA
CAN COME OVER AND PLAY WHENEVER YOU LIKE.

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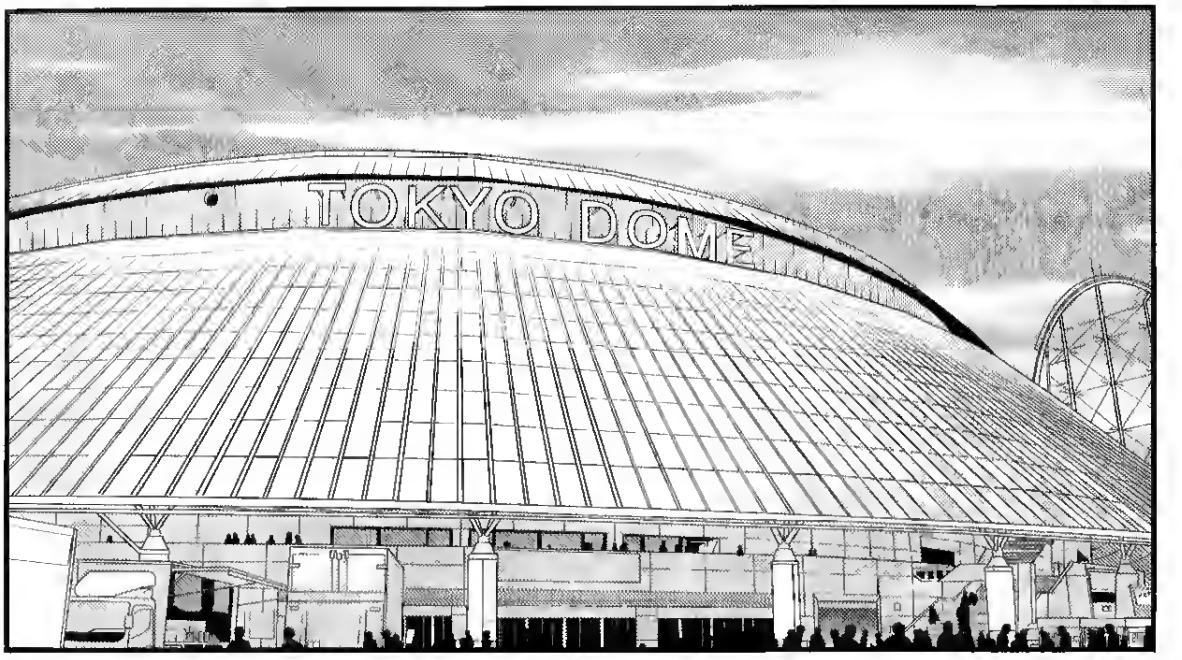
34☆TUNE
[I Hate Music]

IN CELEBRATION OF THE BREAKUP OF THE BAND, CHEERS!
JAZZ & BAR
BLUE NOTE
居酒屋
こ ろ
ARE YOU SURE IT'S ALRIGHT TO HAVE A TOAST FOR THAT REASON?
IT'S FINE, IT'S FINE! CYBELE DISBANDED!!
I'M FREE!!
AYU, WHAT ABOUT YOU STILL HAVING A PART-TIME JOB DESPITE INCEST SELLING SO WELL
I'M DOING IT BECAUSE I LIKE IT ♥
. IT'S A BAD IDEA FOR IDOL BANDS TO CHANGE ROUTES.
IN THE END, HIBIKI WAS RIGHT IT SEEMS.

...I
LIKE THE MUSIC MORE AFTER CHANGING ROUTES.
THAT AGAIN?
YEP! AND WE BURNED OUR BRIDGES
WHAT, SO YOU GUYS WERE TALKING ABOUT THAT?
AND... I'VE BEEN WONDERING...
I HAVEN'T DONE ANYTHING THOUGH~♥
Just playing the drums~
DOING WHAT THEY WANT TO, AND REACHING, AND SELLING AT TOP ONE NOW!
ANYWAYS! INCEST IS IMPRESSIVE!
BEFORE, IT WAS MAINLY EVE'S, BUT HIBIKI ALSO COMPOSED A LITTLE TOO, RIGHT?
AFTER THE MAJOR DEBUT... HIBIKI, HAVE YOU BEEN COMPOSING SONGS?

YEAH.
I'VE BEEN COMPOSING...
AH! THAT'S RIGHT. HERE, MY CONTACT INFO JUST IN CASE I MOVED TO AN OLD APARTMENT
SEE YA!
IF IT EVER INTERESTS YOU, COME SEE THE BAND
AH! SHOOT! IT'S ALREADY TIME FOR MY PART TIME JOB.
YOU HAVE A PART TIME? THAT'S RARE.
HMHM~♪ CAUSE I STARTED A NEW BAND
The slump suits me.
HMMM? WHAT'S WITH THE SMIRKING?
NO— JUST THAT RIO SEEMS HAPPIER NOW THAN BEFORE
AH, THAT GIRL! SHE'S RUNNING A TAB AGAI~N!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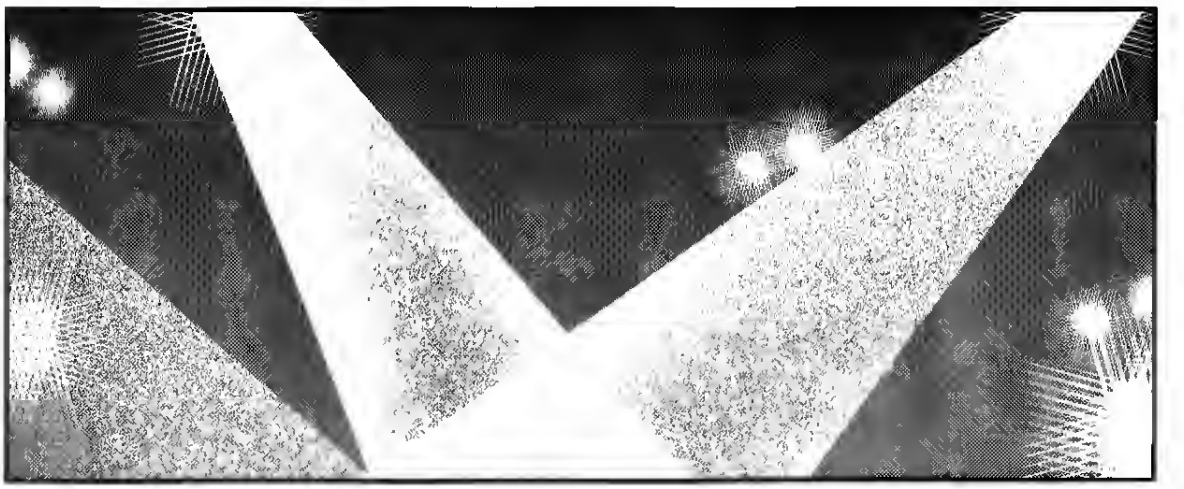
TWO
TICKETS!
PLEASE SELL THEM!



THANK YOU-!!
TOKYO DOME!!

GET THE PUSH CART OVER HERE!
YES!!
SAKUTA!! WILL YOU BRING BACK THE SPARE BASS IN TIME!?
V'S IN! FIVE MINUTES BEFORE THE ENCORE!!

What's the matter- Hibiki-san's never used up the reserved-

HIBIKI'S DEMO TAPE...?
AH.. ALRIGHT, I'LL THROW IT OVER THERE ..HUH?
I WON'T LISTEN TO IT! I WON'T!
I'M GRATEFUL THAT SHE MADE SO MANY SONGS. BUT
HONESTLY.. YOU KNOW...?

INCEST DOESN'T REALLY NEED HER MUSIC, DON'T YOU AGREE?

Always doing the same thing.
I'm tired of it.
I'm tired of it.
Always thinking about the same thing.
Happiness, happiness.
I'm really damn tired.
I'm tired of it.
Always thinking about the same thing.
Always doing the same thing. Happiness, happiness.
I Hate Music
I Hate Music
I Hate Music
I Hate Music
Music Music

...BESIDES, THAT'S NOT LIKE HER...
How stupid.
THERE WAS WAY TOO MANY PEOPLE FOR SUCH A SMALL STAGE!
ISN'T IT FINE? IT RAISED THE TENSION BY A TON!
Like Paul Stanley or Z
WHERE'S HIBIKI?
SHE'S GETTING HARSHLY SCOLDED BY THE STAGE DIRECTOR.
WAH!

THANKS FOR THE HARD WORK.
HER TEMPO WAS SLIGHTLY FASTER,
AND SHE BROKE ONE STRING TWICE
HIBIKI-SAN... I WONDER WHAT'S WRONG
INDEED, TODAY SHE WASN'T LIKE HERSELF..
EVEN FOR HIBIKI.

THERE MAY BE TIMES THAT SHE'LL WANT TO DESTROY EVERYTHING.
...JUST TEASING.

SAKUTA WAS ALSO A HUNDRED AND TWENTY POINTS FULL MARKS ASSISTANT TODAY!
WAH!
なでなで
ANY-WAYS!
WHAT ARE...
EVE-SA~N, THE REPORTERS ARE HERE, CAN YOU COME OVER HERE FOR A BIT?
OKAY.
THANKS.
SAKUTA~! YOUR CELL'S BEEN RINGING ENDLESSLY A WHILE AGO
AH! SORRY!
Did she try to cheer me up?

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小島 彩乃
決定
メニュー
WAH!
ON PHONE: KOJIMA AYANO
To have so many incoming calls...
What happened to Ayano-chan!?
THE FRONT'S BEEN JAMMED, SO IT'LL TAKE ABOUT ANOTHER 30 MINUTES~
THE MOVING HERE, HOW MUCH IS LEFT?
IS IT ALRIGHT IF I GO OUT FOR A BIT?
YEAH SURE
AH! HELLO, AYANO-CHAN, DID SOMETHING HAPPEN!?

I'M SO GLAD...
BEFORE THAT, I REALLY WANTED TO HEAR SAKUTA-KUN'S VOICE NO MATTER WHAT. SORRY FOR CALLING SO MANY TIMES.
NO, I SHOULD BE SORRY FOR FREAKING OUT!
I'M ABOUT TO FALL ASLEEP.
EHH!? A-ABOUT!?
SAKUTA -KUN...

I LOVE YOU SO MUCH.
ME TOO.
I LOVE YOU SO MUCH.

AYANO -CHAN.
UM... YOU SEE.
I WANT TO HEAR ABOUT ALL OF IT.
SUCH A TEASE!
AH-! AH-! LIKE THIS?
I WANT TO KNOW ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED TO SAKUTA-KUN THE WHOLE DAY THAT I WASN'T ABLE TO SEE YOU
I WANT TO HEAR SAKUTA-KUN'S VOICE AND FALL ASLEEP...

ER...M
WELL! TODAY, WE HAD A GENERALPROBE
GENERALPROBE IS LIKE A REHEARSAL RIGHT BEFORE THE REAL THING.
HIBIKI-SAN WAS LATE, SO I WAS ASKED TO PLAY THE BASS INSTEAD!

IT'S AMAZING TO BE ABLE TO PERFORM AT THE TOKYO DOME.
...AYANO -CHAN?
YEAH... I'M LISTENING
IT'S REALLY HUGE!
IT WAS SO LIVELY THAT I COULDN'T EVEN HEAR MY OWN VOICE.

WELL... IT REALLY DID FEEL AMAZING!
...HELLO.
AHH...
MN...?
WHAT?

AYANO-CHAN?
!!!
.....
HUH!
COULD SHE BE ASLEEP...?

HEH... HE'S PRETTY GOOD!
IT'S THE ROADY, EVE'S BROTHER.
EH— THE BASSIST IS DIFFERENT?
IS THAT FROM THE TIME INCEST WAS AT THE DOME?
YEAH, THE GENERAL-

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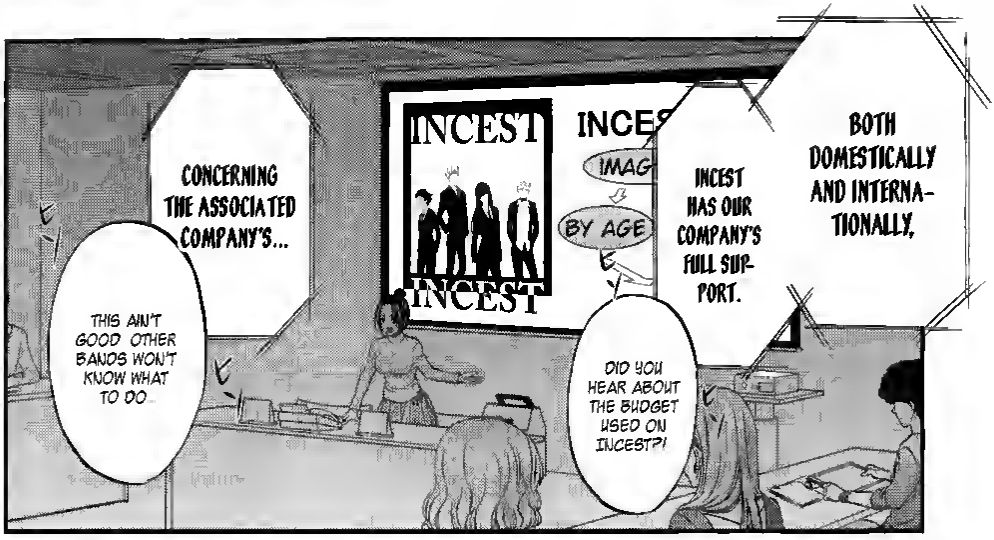
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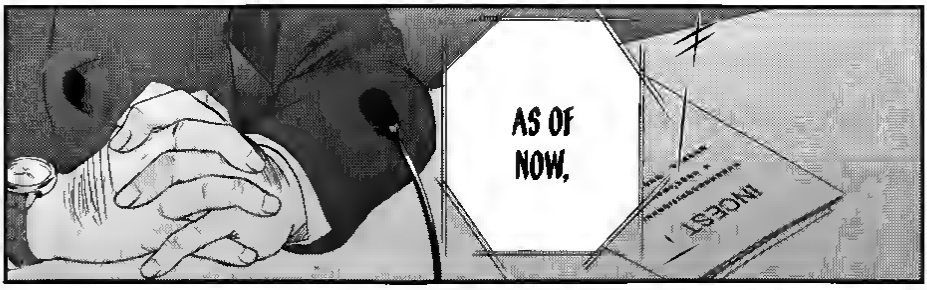
BY AGE
CONCERNING THE ASSOCIATED COMPANY'S...
INCEST HAS OUR COMPANY'S FULL SUPPORT.
BOTH DOMESTICALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY,
THIS AIN'T GOOD OTHER BANDS WON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO...
DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THE BUDGET USED ON INCEST?!

DOES ANYONE HAVE ANY QUESTIONS?
YES! EXCUSE ME.

CERTAINLY, TO DISREGARD A LEADING FIGURE IS...
BUT THE BAND WITH THE MOST POTENTIAL IS STILL INCEST
THEN WE'RE ON THE SAME TEAM...

BY INVESTING SO MUCH IN INCEST, OTHER BANDS WIL BE PUT AT A DISADVANTAGE
WE ALSO WANT A BIGGER BUDGET AND MORE TALENTED ARTISTS FOR THE ERF'S 20TH ANNIVERSARY...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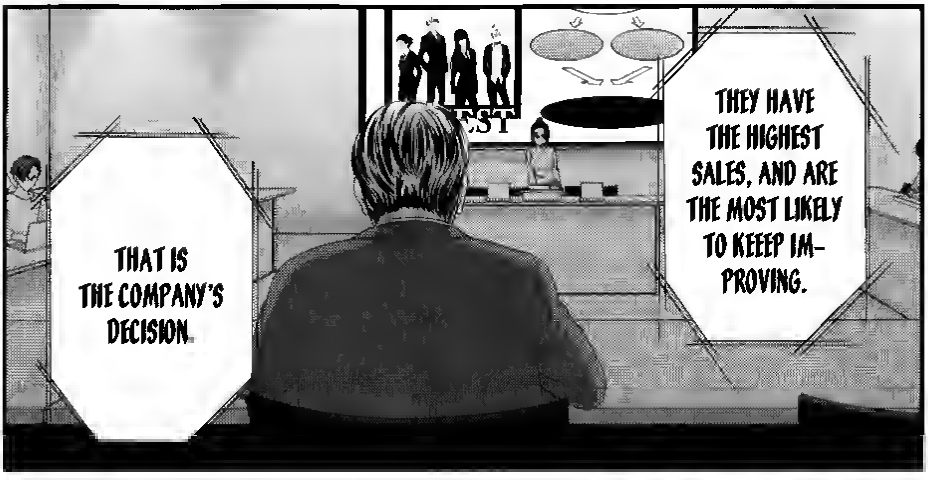
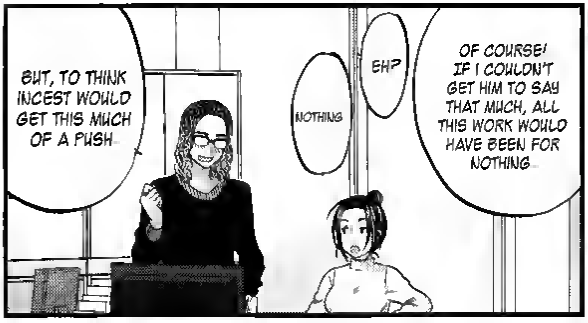
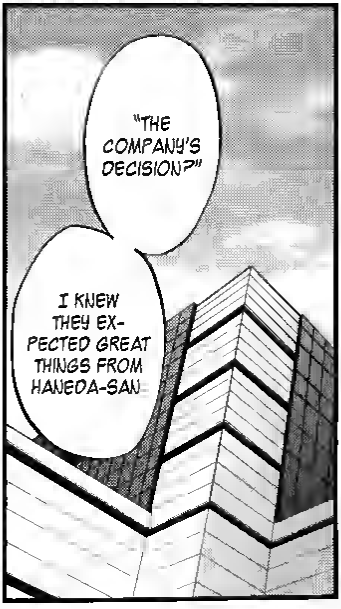
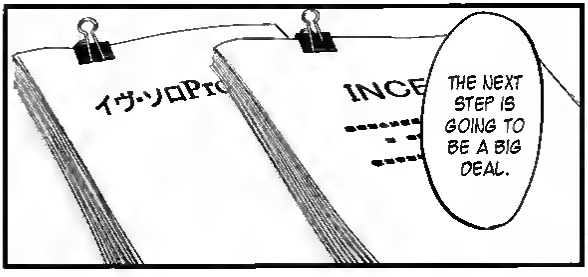
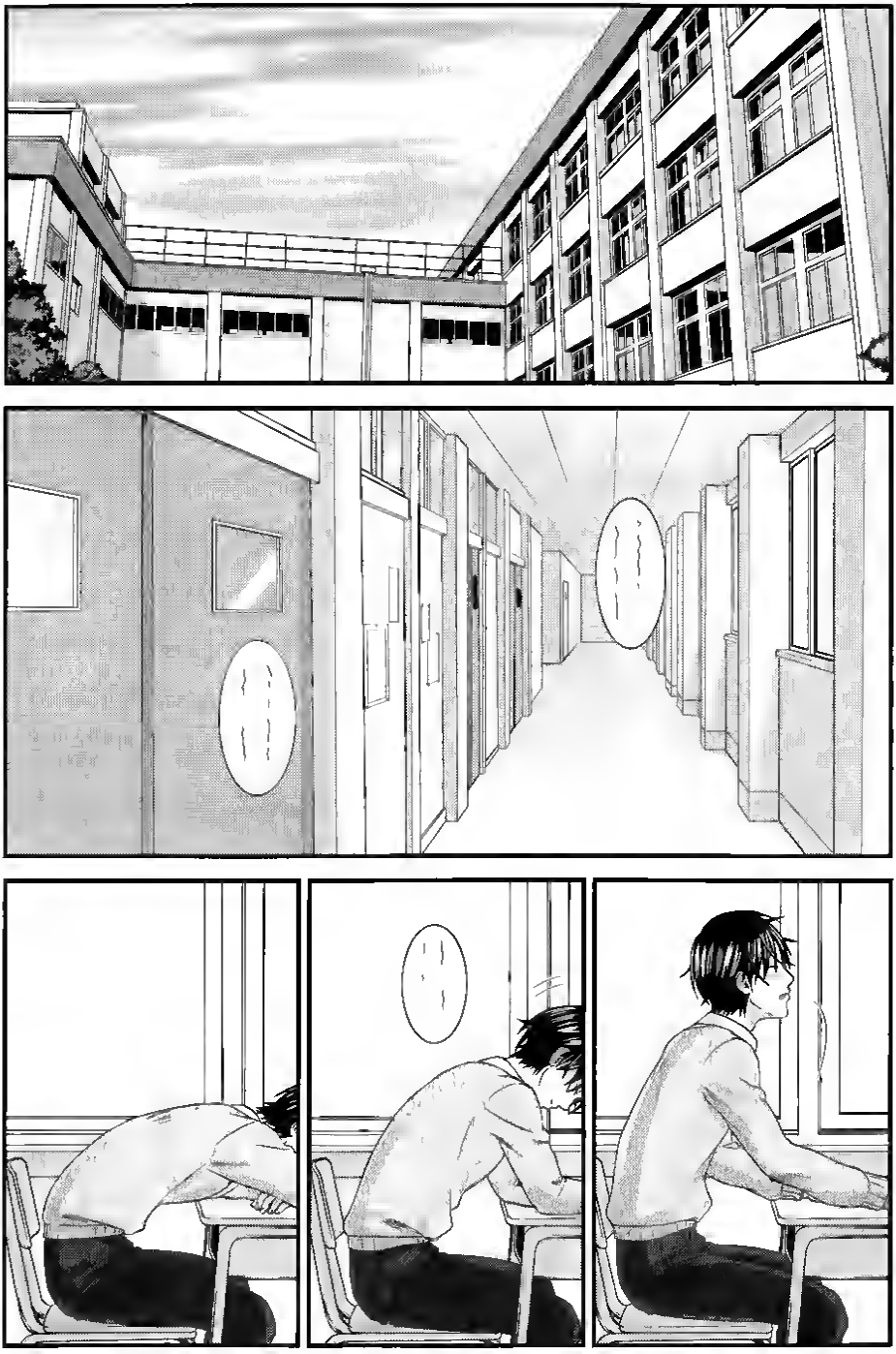

THEY HAVE THE HIGHEST SALES, AND ARE THE MOST LIKELY TO KEEP IMPROVING.
THAT IS THE COMPANY'S DECISION.


BUT, TO THINK INCEST WOULD GET THIS MUCH OF A PUSH.
NOTHING
EH?
OF COURSE! IF I COULDN'T GET HIM TO SAY THAT MUCH, ALL THIS WORK WOULD HAVE BEEN FOR NOTHING.


"THE COMPANY'S DECISION?"
I KNEW THEY EXPECTED GREAT THINGS FROM HANEDA-SAN.


THE NEXT STEP IS GOING TO BE A BIG DEAL.



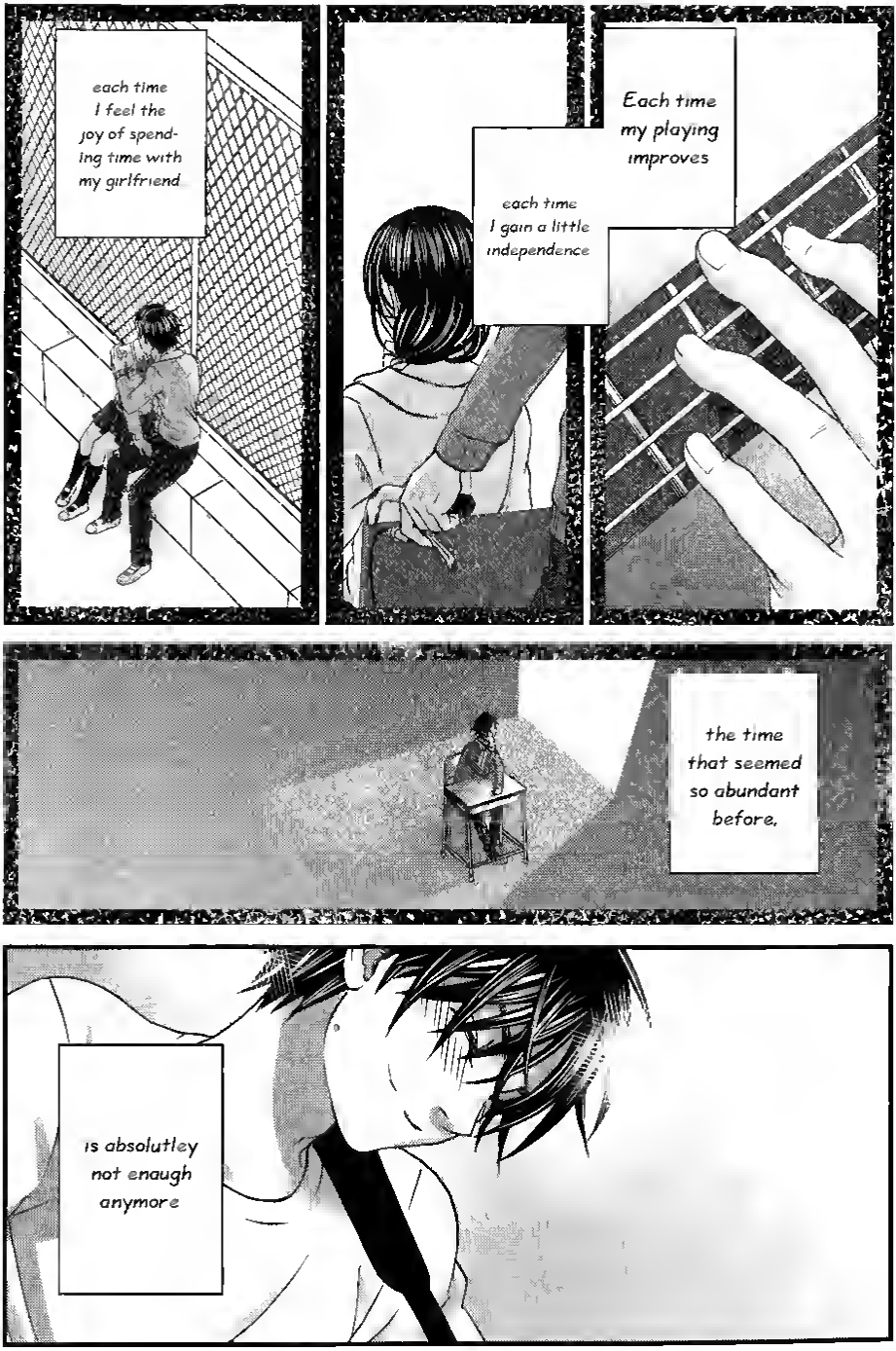
THE INCEST TOUR HAS FINALLY CALMED DOWN.
I THINK I'LL TAKE A BREAK THIS WEEKEND
DO YOU HAVE ANY-WHERE YOU'D LIKE TO GO?
HM~, I'M HAPPY ANY-WHERE
YOU DON'T HAVE TO HOLD BACK! WE'VE MADE PLENTY OF CASH!
AH, WELL SOMETHING LIKE OVER-SEAS TRAVEL WOULD BE A BIT HARD
TODAY?

TODAY?
TOMORROW?
THIS WEEKEND I'LL GET A PROPER BRE-
EH...? TODAY I HAVE TO GO TO MY MOM'S. SORRY...
TOMORROW... ALSO... SORRY.
Due to working as a roodie part time ond looking after mom i've be-came increas-ingly busy
I find my self having to apologize like this far too often.

...IN THE END IT WAS LIKE FIRE-WORKS: "BOOM!"
EVEN FROM THE EDGE OF THE STAGE IT WAS AMAZING
OH, HOW NICE IT IS THAT YOU'RE OUT ON A STROLL WITH SAKUTA-KUN
SAKUTA? SAKUTA IS A REALLY PAMPERED CHILD.
Mom still daesn't realize that I am "Sakuta."

SPEAKING OF WHICH, THE PAYMENT FOR LAST MONTH...
Even something as simple as that makes me happy
Mom has conquered her fear of letting me take control of the wheelchair
OH I'M SUCH A KLUTZ~
テヘペロ☆
OH, OOPS! THIS IS ABOUT SOME OTHER PATIENT!
RIGHT...

YEAH! IT'S GOTTEN A LOT BETTER!
IT'S PRETTY GOOD, SAKU-CHAN.
HM... JUST MEDIOCRE.


each time I feel the joy of spending time with my girlfriend
each time I gain a little independence
Each time my playing improves
the time that seemed so abundant before,
is absolutley not enaugh anymore

I got caught up in traffic on the highway!
I'm reaaaally sorry!!
VER
WHEN I WAS AT MY FRIEND'S CONCERT, I COULDN'T GET A SIGNAL NEAR THE STAGE
I couldn't reach it
WAS YOUR PHONE OFF?
I messed up~!!
I'm really sorry!
YOU!! YOU'RE EVEN LATER THAN ME!
YEAH~ AT THIS RATE SAKU-CHAN IS GOING TO TAKE OVER FOR YOU~!
NO, IT'S ACTUALLY KIND OF LIKE LETTING ME GET PRACTICE...
SAKATA-KUN, SORRY FOR HAVING YOU PLAY IN MY STEAD AGAIN

...THAT MIGHT BE A GOOD THING.
Y-YES!
HIBIKI?!
JUST KIDDING~! WELL, I'LL TRY TO MAKE UP FOR THE TIME THAT I MISSED
SAKUTA, LET'S TRY IT WITH TWIN BASS!
I'll slap, you'll root

Where you heading for the office?
NEE-SAN?
UM... ARE...
SAKUTA!
I HAD A FUN TIME
VER
ME TOO
ARE YOU... EATING PROPERLY?
THEN SEE YOU TOMORROW
I'M RELIEVED
YEAH
I SEE
YEAH

...HUH?
Nee-san's so busy Does she even have time to sit down for a meal?
It'd be perfect! fine for her to come over and relax.
Ring Ring Ring Ring
There's usually one every 30 minutes.. but now there's not even one.
THERE'S NO INCOMING HISTORY FROM AYANO-CHAN.
THE PHONE YOU ARE CALLING IS OUTSIDE THE...
SIGNAL ZONE OR THE POWER IS SWITCHED OFF.

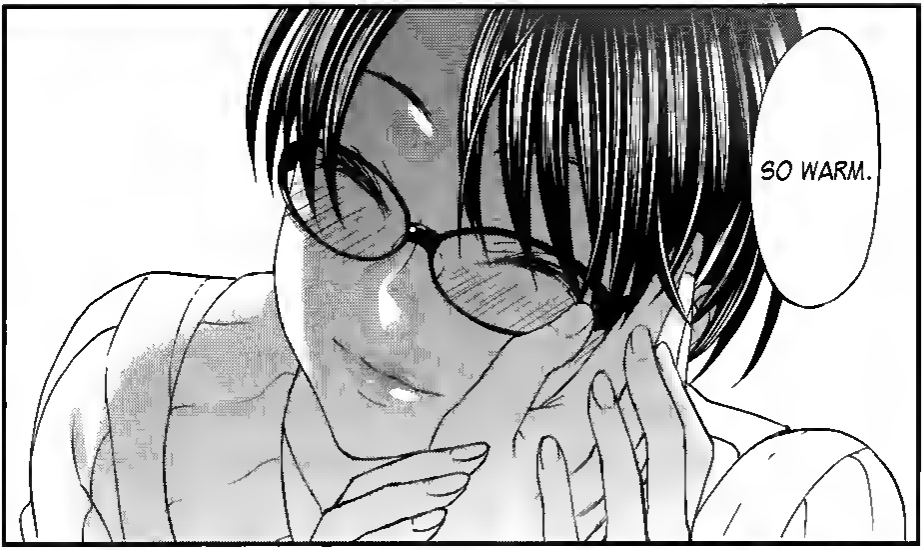
I WON-
DER WHAT'S
GOING ON
SOMETHING
MIGHT'VE
HAPPENED
IF IT'S
COME TO
THIS...

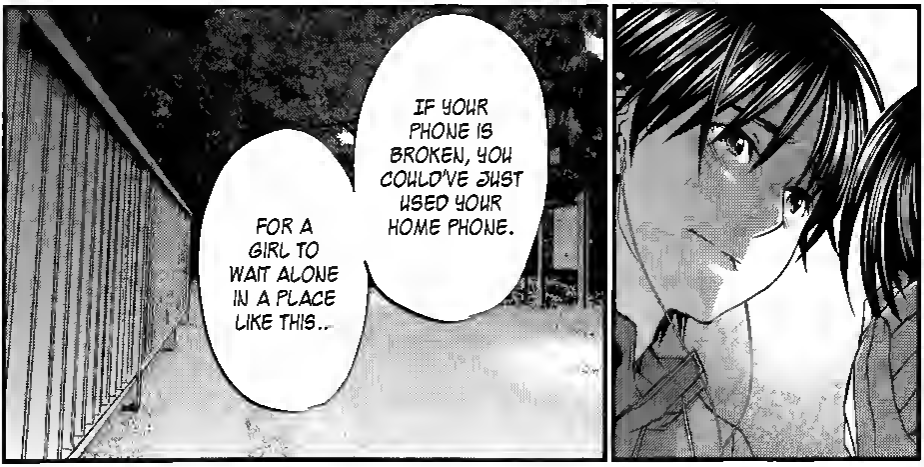
YES, THIS IS KOJIMA.
N-NO! IT'S OKAY.
UM...IT'S NOTHING URGENT.
SORRY TO BOTHER YOU!!
WOULD YOU LIKE ME TO ASK HER FATHER?
HONEY? HONEY~!
Oh, right!
AYANO? SHE HASN'T COME BACK YET. MAYBE SHE'S STILL AT A COMMITTEE MEETING OR SOMETHING
AYANO-CHAN...!

WH~AT?

EH?! W-WHY ARE YOU HERE?
I JUST CALLED YOUR CELL... AND EVEN YOUR HOME.
A-
AYANO-CHAN?
IT BROKE
IN ORDER TO BE ALWAYS ABLE TO REACH SAKUTA-KUN, I KEPT IT ON ME AT ALL TIMES.
DRWING MEALS AND SHOWERS,
MY PHONE, YOU SEE. IN THE MORNING, AFTERNOON, AND EVENING,
I WAS BY YOUR SIDE.
SO,

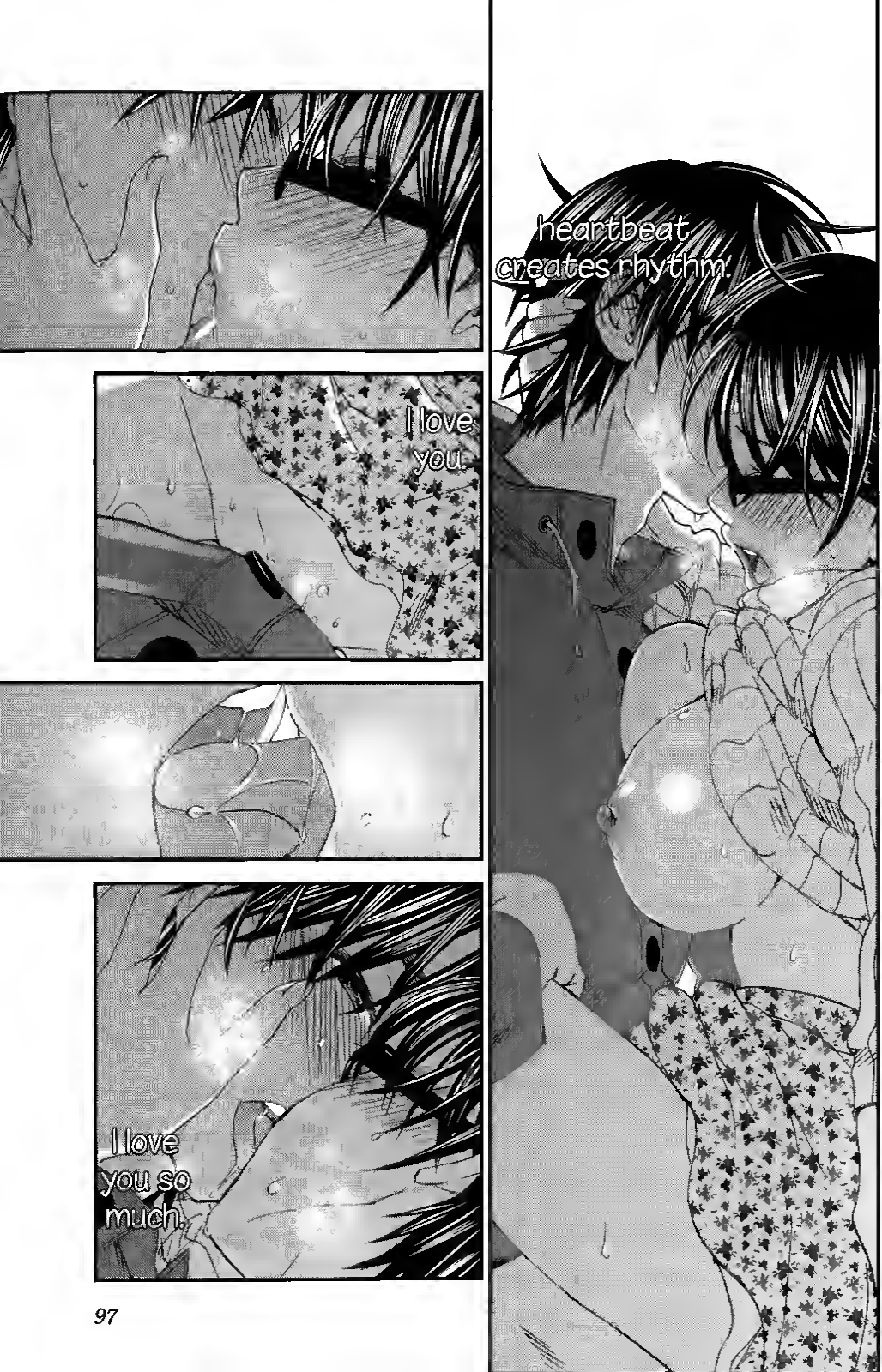
EH...?
BY MY SIDE... WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
WERE YOU HERE THE WHOLE TIME?
JUST WAITING FOR ME TO RETURN?


SO WARM.


IF YOUR PHONE IS BROKEN, YOU COULD'VE JUST USED YOUR HOME PHONE.
FOR A GIRL TO WAIT ALONE IN A PLACE LIKE THIS..

YOU'RE SO COLD.
FOR MY GIRLFRIEND TO DO SOMETHING LIKE THAT REALLY MAKES ME WORRIED, SO...
SERIOUSLY, PLEASE STOP IT
SAKUTA-KUN IS...
GOING TO WARM ME UP, SO IT'S OKAY...

Slowly, slowly
Smiling, your
embrace me


heartbeat
creates rhythm.
I love
you.
I love
you so
much.

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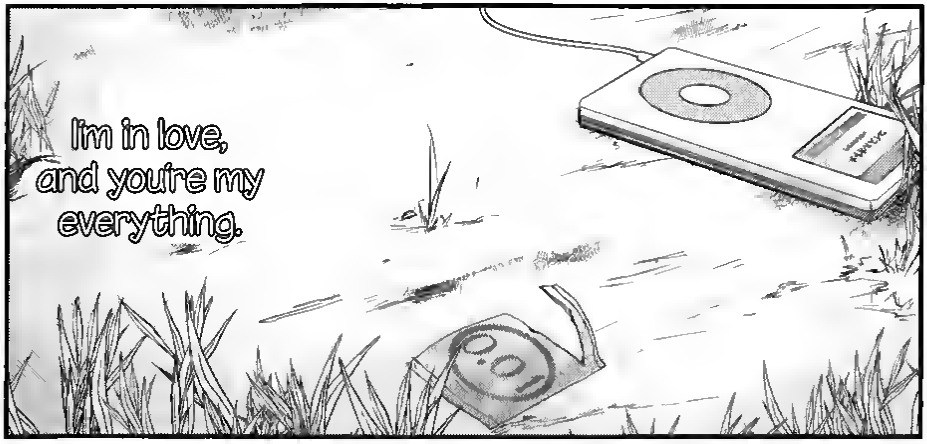
Let's stay together forever.


I'm in love, and you're my everything.

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